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ADOPTION OF EXISTING ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT

Description of proposal: FONSI for a Special Use Permit Renewal for the Skyline Ditch Company for an irrigation water ditch that includes a requirement that the present fish screening structure is revised and improved to prevent fish from straying into the ditch.

Proponent: Skyline Ditch Company, Okanogan County, Washington

Location of current proposal: West Chewuch River Road, North of the Town of Winthrop, Washington, Okanogan County; Southeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 35, Township 36 North, Range 21 East WM

Title of document being adopted: DECISION MEMO AND FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT: SPECIAL USE PERMIT RENEWAL. Okanogan County, Washington, Okanogan National Forest, Methow Valley Ranger District.

Agency that prepared document being adopted: U.S. Forest Service, Okanogan National Forest, Methow Valley Ranger District.

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Description of document (or portion) being adopted: The completed Biologist Evaluation and the section requiring a revised fish screen structure to be in place prior to the start of the year 2000 irrigation season.

If the document being adopted has been challenged (197-11-630), please describe: No challenge.

The document is available to be read at (place/time):

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We have identified and adopted this document as being appropriate for this proposal after independent review. The document meets our environmental review needs for the current proposal and will accompany the proposal to the decision maker.

Name of agency adopting the document: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

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DATE OF ISSUE: June 6, 2000 **SIGNATURE:**  for Peter Birch

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